

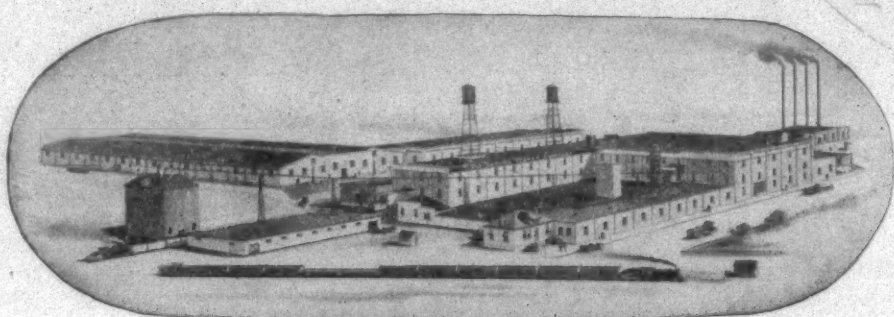
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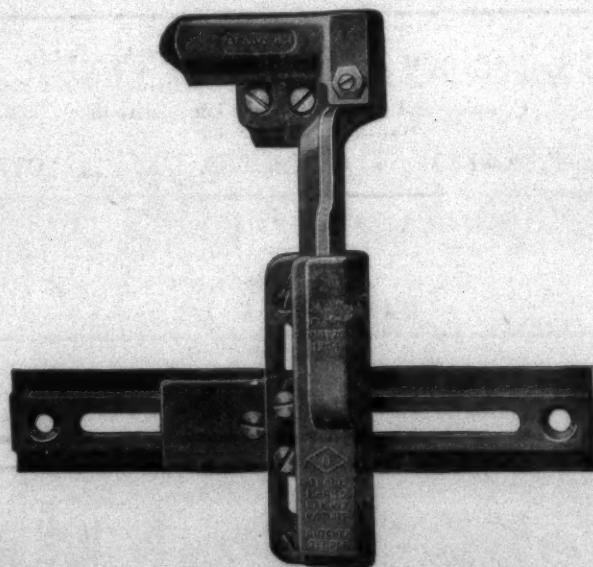
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The Birmingham Meeting

(Stenographer's Report.)

Meeting called to order by David Clark at 10:15 a. m., May 31st, 1917. Frank E. Heymer, Resident Agent, Alexander City Cotton Mill, and president of the Southern Textile Association was made chairman.

Mr. Clark: The object of the meeting is to discuss the best plans for the cotton mills to put in execution the Keating Bill and each superintendent present will be asked to give his ideas. We do not expect to solve the problem at this meeting but the object is to get practical men to give their experience and ideas as to how it is best to work spinners and doffers eight hours a day and while the remainder of the employees work 60 hours a week.

B. F. Nuttall, Cordova: It is our idea that after the first of September, we will take 14 to 16 year olds and work them 8 hours a day, allowing them time for the school room and the older ones doubling up on their work, for the other hours. It is our idea to have two sets of doffers.

M. T. Grimes, superintendent of Tallassee Mfg. Co.: Had not decided definitely how to work them but hope to get all doffers 16 years of age.

Marshall Dilling: Came for information, regret Mr. Hudson's (Alabama inspector) inability to be present. Think that posting hours children should work will conflict with Federal Law. Have no definite plan. Do not intend working any children under sixteen in carding or weaving. Will work boys under 16 in packing room. Girls under 16 used as helpers and cleaners 8 hours. Work doffers 1-2 day. Have two sets under 16, work one morning and the other in the afternoon.

Mr. Heymer: I think State Factory Inspector will make rule of the posting of hours to conform with Federal law.

F. O. Tyler, Anniston Mfg. Co.: Children 14 to 16 in spinning room, doffers over 16 years and intend to made hours so all that are now working can work on as at present. Would like to know if time clocks can be used on doffers.

Mr. Clark: In Washington last week a prominent attorney stated that where a boy was subject to call it was counted as on duty. To work by time clock notice must be given boy when he shall come and when he shall go. However, no ruling has been made as yet by the Department concerning this.

B. F. Fisher, Huntsville: Plan

was to stretch spinners in the morning, in the afternoon bring spinners in from 14 to 16 and reduce regular help to allow new ones to do work. Make change at noon hour. In the spinning room alone 13 per cent of the help and 14 per cent of the total work will be effected.

B. W. Bingham: Figure on using two shifts, have been gathering up all possible to teach them. 50 per cent of spinning room are between 14 and 16 years of age.

B. J. Fisher: Out of the 37 applications from the employees of the Merrimack Mills for the Army and Navy, 90 per cent were accepted, showing fitness of the employees of the cotton mills.

H. Enloe: Take spinners under 16, put on at 6 a. m., with master spinners until 10:00, stay away until 2:00 then work to 6:00 p. m. 63 spinners under 16. Doffers nearly all over 16, same rule to apply to those under, as the spinners.

Z. H. Mangum, Avondale Mills: Expect to adopt the Newberry plan, which will enable us to employ all help not employed. Doffers paid by piece, only two under 16 and they will not be hurt as arrangements have been made to take care of them.

E. A. Thompson, Pell City: Do not know what they will do—will obey the law. Have not worked any one under 16 years of age in five years in either carding or weaving rooms.

Mr. Dilling: Find giving older spinners double work unsatisfactory. Have tried it out.

Mr. Grimes: Spinners can not run more than usual number of sides or they would demand it regularly.

Mr. Thatcher: We deal with fine yarns and advocate the Newberry plan and expect to try it out. Have tried to work doffers over 16 years and have done so with the exception of all but two sets. Our plan is to let smaller boys do spare spinning in order to teach them. Has seen this successfully done in Chattanooga at Thatcher Mill.

Mr. Clark: The Newberry plan has been abandoned, after being thoroughly tried out, by the Newberry Cotton Mills, as it will not work in coarse mills. The Orr Mills, Anderson, S. C., found it fairly satisfactory in the fine mills, but very impractical in the coarse ones.

J. A. Shinn, Sylacauga: We have three mills working 1,500 hands, about 75 under 16. The main thing is to take care of the children. Two plans are to be tried. One is to

bunch all spinners under 16 years and put in one part of the mill and get extra ones to relieve them. In work.

fine mills intend to try Newberry plan. No test has been made but these plans have been worked successfully in Mississippi.

M. W. Darby, Florence, Ala.: No definite plan. Would like to run mill with all over 16, but are compelled to make way for the children, will get up enough children over 16 to take all the sides in the mill and run them with additional help to 14 to 16. The best solution of the problem is to give special attention to adjustment of machinery and put mill in such conditions that it will run with less labor or that the help then can do more toward stretching out the work.

Doffers—undecided. As to double shifts, it is a good idea if help can be gotten otherwise impractical.

W. B. Kitching, Montgomery: Only have six hands under 16, all in spinning room and intend to work them 1-2 day each.

J. A. Chapman, Talladega: Have already eliminated all under 16. Doffers, find older ones do better work; paid by piece system. As to spinners tried to eliminate those under 16, also but expect to use them in 6 hours shifts, giving them definite hours. Have two small mills.

Mr. A. A. Harris, Sycamore, Ala.: In spinning room have 16 operators between 14 and 16. Have planned to work them on 1-2 day shifts. Expect to take care of some spinners on winding. Doffers to be worked 1-2 day shift also. Will have to have two sets of doffers. 13 per cent are under 16 years of age.

Mr. Turnipseed, Anniston: Mr. Tyler voiced the sentiments of the mill I represent.

O. C. Bagley, Rock Mills: Have not decided on any definite plan. Would like to know what per cent of the laboring people will be satisfied with the stretching plan as the cotton labor is sensitive and my opinion mean that many will be in transit. Will have to get more machinery.

Mr. G. H. Jones, Selma: No definite plan—1-2 time shift best plan.

The question is to take care of Mr. Clark: I believe that one factor in the solution of the doffer problem will be the use of larger rings and thereby fewer doffs.

Some say that large rings can not be used but they are being successfully used by many mills.

E. A. Thompson: I am glad to hear Mr. Clark bring out that point for I know that larger rings and

larger bobbins can and will be used. them, rather than how to give them

Miss Grace Abbott, Director of the Children's Department of Labor: I have not come down to tell you how to operate your mills but the rules and regulations will soon be available from the Labor Department giving the details of plans. I am interested in the stand taken and in your law-abiding sentiment and hope for a continuance of same. The cotton mills are not the only ones affected by the Child Labor Laws, there are 48 different Child Labor Laws, it is therefore necessary to have a cordial working basis and at any time you have a concrete question to ask, write the Department so that misunderstandings can be avoided.

The following is an almost complete list of the men who attended the meeting of the superintendents of Alabama cotton mills at the Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, Ala., on May 31st:

Bagley, O. C., Superintendent Wehadkee Yarn Mills, Rock Mills, Ala.
Bingham, B. W., Superintendent, Ozark Cotton Mill Co., Ozark, Ala.
Carter, A. B., Southern Representative, Victor Shaw Ring Traveler Co., Greenville, S. C.
Darby, M. W., Superintendent Cherry Cotton Mills, Florence, Ala.
Dilling, Marshall, Superintendent, Buck Creek Cotton Mills, Siluria, Ala.

Edmunds, J. T., Spinner, Pell City Mfg. Co., Pell City, Ala.

Enloe, H., Superintendent, W. A. Hadley Mfg. Co., Roanoke, Ala.

Fisher, B. J., Superintendent, Merrimack Mfg. Co., Huntsville, Ala.

Greer, Jas. A., Southern Representative, Textile World Journal, Greenville, S. C.

Grimes, M. T., Superintendent, Tallassee Mills, Tallassee, Ala.

Harris, A. A., Superintendent, Sycamore Mills, Sycamore, Ala.

Haslam, Geo. P., Treasurer, Coosa Mfg. Co., Piedmont, Ala.

Heymer, Frank E., Alexander City Cotton Mills, Alexander City, Ala.

Jones, G. H., Superintendent, Raybell Mfg. Co., Selma, Ala.

Kitching, W. B., Montala Mfg. Co., Montgomery, Ala.

Lehman, G. W., overseer of spinning, Merrimack Mfg. Co., Huntsville, Ala.

MacRae, Cameron, Arabol Mfg. Co., Charlotte, N. C.

Mangum, Z. H., Superintendent, Avondale Mills, Birmingham, Ala.

Marsh, G. T., Montgomery Cotton Mills, Montgomery, Ala.

Melchor, Guy L., Arabol Mfg. Co., Atlanta, Ga.
 Richardson, N. C., Superintendent Perkins Mill, Anniston, Ala.
 Rutall, B. F., Spinner, Indian Head Mills, Cordova, Ala.
 Shinn, J. A., Superintendent, Central and Eva Jane Mills, Sylacauga, Ala.
 Thatcher, R. C., Superintendent, Coosa Mfg. Co., Piedmont, Ala.
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 Thompson, F. M., Treasurer, Buck Creek Cotton Mills, Siluria, Ala.
 Turnipseed, G. W., Superintendent, Anniston Mfg. Co., Anniston, Ala.
 Tyler, F. O., Secretary, Anniston Mfg. Co., Anniston, Ala.

Among Those Present at Atlanta.

The following is an almost complete list of those who attended the meeting of Georgia cotton mill superintendents at Atlanta on May 30:

Abbott, Miss Grace, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
 Bachman, John S., Superintendent, Anchor Duck Mill, Rome, Ga.
 Ball, H. O., Superintendent, Pepperton Cotton Mill, Jackson, Ga.
 Baugh, J. A., Jr., Superintendent, LaGrange Mill, LaGrange, Ga.
 Brown, L. L., Superintendent, Swift Spinning Mills, Columbus, Ga.
 Carroll, Jno. T., Superintendent, Whittier Mills Co., Chattahoochee, Ga.
 Carter, A. B., Southern Representative, Victor Shaw Ring Traveler Co., Greenville, S. C.
 Chappell, E., Howard & Bullough, Atlanta, Ga.
 Culberson, A., Jr., Superintendent, Dixie Cotton Mills, LaGrange, Ga.
 Davidson, H. O., Superintendent, Eagle & Henix Mills, Columbus, Ga.
 Doughtie, C. E., Superintendent, Georgia Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ga.
 Epps, W. H., Superintendent, Jefferson Mills, Jefferson, Ga.
 Farr, J. P., overseer of spinning, Covington, Ga.
 Graddick, F. C., Superintendent, Barrow County Cotton Mills, Win-der, Ga.
 Green, W. V., Cotton States Belting & Supply Co., Atlanta, Ga.
 Greer, Jas. A., Southern Representative, Textile World Journal, Greenville, S. C.
 Gunn, C. B., Superintendent, Union Cotton Mills, LaFayette, Ga.
 Hamilton, G. W., Superintendent, Crown Cotton Mills, Dalton, Ga.
 Harriman, David R., Jr., Superintendent, Griffin Mfg. Co., Griffin, Ga.
 Harris, Arthur W., Southern Manager, American Warp Drawing Machine Co., Atlanta, Ga.
 Harris, Geo. S., Superintendent, Lanett Cotton Mills, West Point, Ga.
 Harrison, W. Y., Superintendent, Covington Mills, Covington, Ga.
 Horner, J. W., with Ashworth Bros., Atlanta, Ga.
 Jones, L. L., Secretary and Superintendent, Canton Cotton Mills, Canton, Ga.
 Keighley, Wm., Superintendent, Berryton Mills, Berryton, Ga.
 Kinnett, G. T., Superintendent, Wilingham Cotton Mills, Macon, Ga.

Lang, E., Special Agent, Texas Co., Atlanta, Ga.
 Lanier, L., Agent, West Point Mfg. Co., West Point, Ga.
 Lovern, H. S., Walker County Hosiery Mills, LaFayette, Ga.
 Lynch, Geo. T., Superintendent, Augusta Factory, Augusta, Ga.
 Mandeville, J. A., Manager, Mandeville Mills, Carrollton, Ga.
 McDonald, W. J., Superintendent, Pelham Mfg. Co., Pelham, Ga.
 Mooty, J. S., Superintendent, Piedmont Mill, Egan, Ga.
 Morrill, H. A., Assistant Superintendent, Whittier Mills Co., Chattahoochee, Ga.
 Murphy, O. G., Shawmut Mill, West Point, Ga.
 Park, H. P., President & Superintendent, Park Cotton Mills, LaGrange, Ga.
 Payne, J. M., Superintendent, Muscogee Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ga.
 Polatty, G. A., Millen Cotton Mills Co., Millen, Ga.
 Rochester, Miss Anna, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
 Scott, J. J., Superintendent, Scottdale Mills, Scottdale, Ga.
 Smyly, S. C., General Manager, Eastman Cotton Mills, Eastman, Ga.
 Stanley, H. M., N. Y. & N. J. Lubricant Co., Atlanta, Ga.
 Sweeny, R. P., Superintendent, Social Circle Cotton Mill Co., Social Circle, Ga.
 Thomasson, L. W., N. Y. & N. J. Lubricant Co., Charlotte, N. C.
 Upchurch, C. L., Superintendent, Star Thread Mill, Athens, Ga.
 Willis, J. Archie, Atlanta, Ga.
 Wise, E. B., Superintendent, Martel Mfg. Co., Egan, Ga.

Among Those Present at Greenville.

A complete list of those who attended the meeting at Greenville, S. C., on May 29th was not obtained but the following is a partial list.
 Abbott, Miss Grace, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
 Abercrombie, Jno. T., Superintendent, Pickens Mills, Pickens, S. C.
 Adkins, A. B., Superintendent, Alice Mills, Easley, S. C.
 Alexander, M. O., Superintendent, Woodside Cotton Mill, Greenville, S. C.
 Badger, J. N., Superintendent, Monaghan Mill, Greenville, S. C.
 Barber, T. I., Superintendent, Williamston Mills, Williamston, S. C.
 Barnes, E. T., Night Superintendent, Williamston Mills, Williamston, S. C.
 Bates, H. E., Superintendent, Victor Mills, Greer, S. C.
 Beacham, J. D., Superintendent, Chiquola Mfg. Co., Honea Path, S. C.
 Black, W. A., Beaumont Mfg. Co., Spartanburg, S. C.
 Bobo, W. C., Superintendent, Judson Mills, Greenville, S. C.
 Bowe, Robt. F., Selling Agent, Saco-Lowell Shops, Greenville, S. C.
 Britton, W. J., Superintendent, Spartan Mills, Spartanburg, S. C.
 Brown, A. T., Superintendent, Warren Mfg. Co., Warrentonville, S. C.
 Buchanan, S. T., Piedmont Mfg. Co., Piedmont, S. C.
 Bunton, L. O., Greer, S. C.
 Burdett, J. M., Lockart, S. C.
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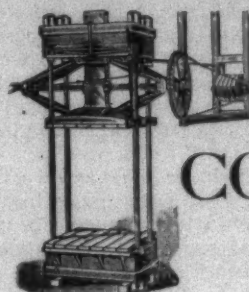
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- Jones, H. F., Superintendent, Easley Cotton Mill No. 3, Liberty, S. C.
- Kelly, J. W., Superintendent, Pelzer Mfg. Co., Pelzer, S. C.
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- Quantz, A. T., Superintendent, Arcade Cotton Mills, Rock Hill, S. C.
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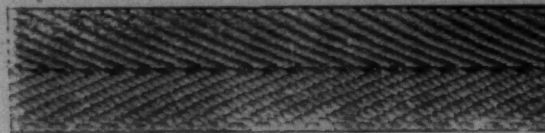
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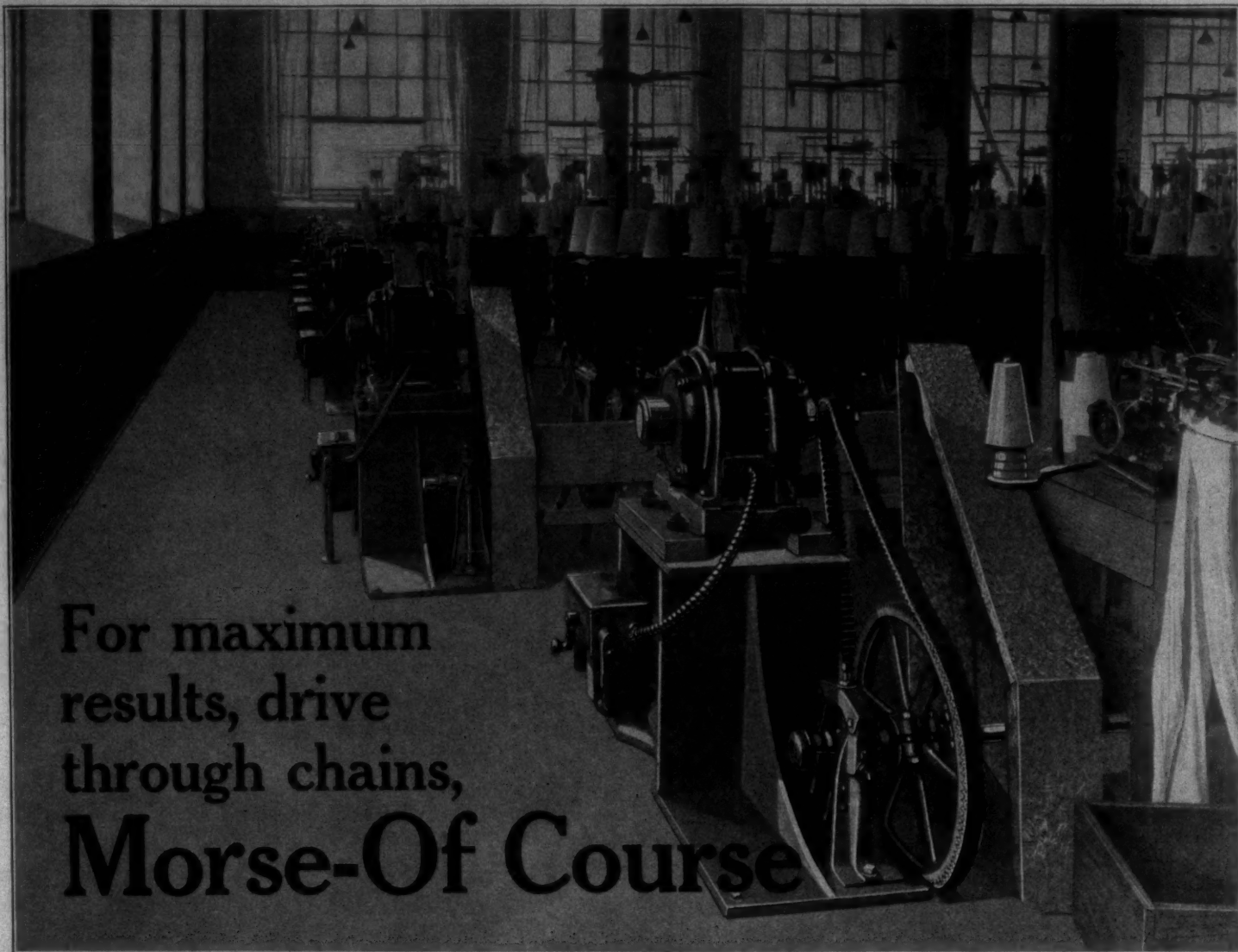
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Answer to R. J. H.

Editor:

I wish to answer the questions asked by "R. J. H." in a recent issue.

I have had similar trouble with cards. The first trouble is that his licker-in shield is too far from the feed roll. The second is probably that the feed plate is too far from the licker-in. The remedy is to set the feed plate to the required distance for stock and weight of lap, then put on lap and run it into the card so that it will raise the feed roll as high as the lap will naturally raise the feed roll, then bring the licker-in shield down to a No. 7 gauge. If there is not room in the slots which the cap screws are in, take a small round file and make them long enough to come to 7/1000 or a No. 7 card gauge all along. If the shield has high place on it, file or grind them off the edge next to the feed roll until perfectly straight.

I hope that this will help R. J. H. and that if it does he will say so.
A. J. R.

"Wants Georgia to Answer."

Editor:

I would like to have space in your paper to ask "Georgia" a few questions as I notice he is giving the boys some good advice.

Now Mr. "Georgia," please give us the proper setting in picker room on 1 1/16 inch cotton. That is, how should my beaters be set for this stock? How far apart should my drawing rollers be from center to center of each set, also rollers on intermediate and fine frames? How can I prevent thick and thin places in my roving? My drawing rollers make 330 R. M. P. Is this too fast for 64 grain sliver metallic rollers? My drawing sliver appears to be cut as it comes through the slubbers, but it looks even in front of the drawing. My ends run slack. Please give me all the points along this line and accept my thanks for same.
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Ideal Quill Cleaner.

The Terrell Machine Co. of Charlotte, N. C., have recently put upon the market the "Ideal Quill Cleaner" and are meeting with great success in its sales.

Before putting this machine upon the market they employed one of the best known tool building firms in New England to redesign their machine with a view of correcting defects and perfecting details and securing a very high degree of uniformity.

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The Ideal Quill Cleaner will only clean standard Draper Quills, but on them is said to have 98 per cent cleaning efficiency. One machine will handle 75,000 to 80,000 quills daily and requires only two operators.

Within the last thirty days Ideal Quill Cleaners have been purchased by the Riverside and Dan River Mills, Pomona Mills, Dacotah Cotton Mills, Cannon Mfg. Co., Gibson Mfg. Co., Brookford Mills, Lancaster Cotton Mills, Hamilton Carhartt Cotton Mills, Mooresville Cotton Mills and Exposition Cotton Mills and the purchase by mills of this class is sufficient evidence that they are regarded as a good investment.

The Terrell Machine Co. of Charlotte, was organized by E. A. Terrell, son of the late T. V. Terrell of Coolmeade and Concord, N. C., whose untimely death in an automobile accident was a great shock to the textile industry.

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New Rocker Shaft Bearing.

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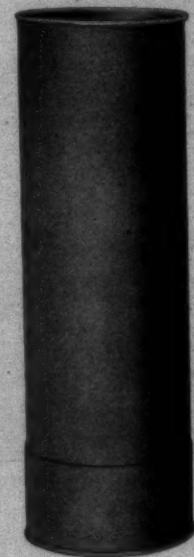
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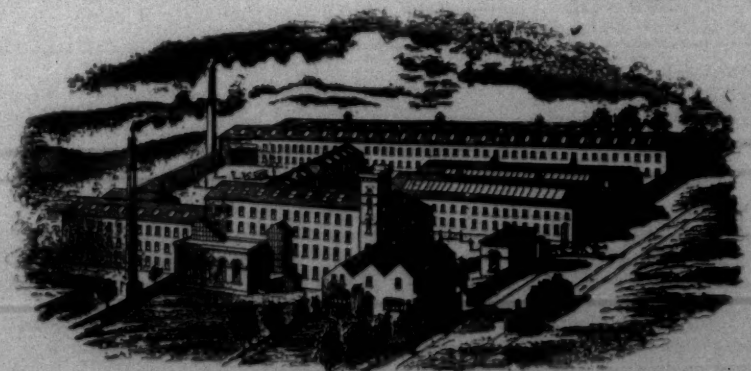
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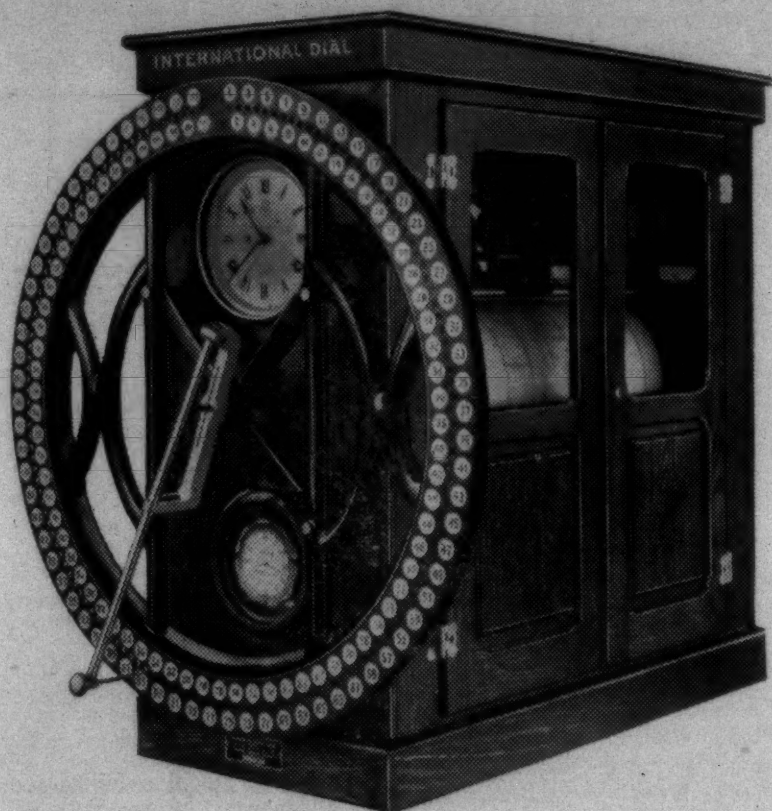
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McKelway Crowd at Work.

Papers all over the country have this week carried a column article sent out from Washington, D. C., and which attempts to make it appear that England and France have not only refused to suspend any of their labor laws but are actually going to raise the age limits.

While the article has no signature it bears all the ear-marks of an A. J. McKelway production because it uses insinuations and intimations in lieu of actual statements.

It is evidently intended to give the public a false idea of what has been done in England and France and is undoubtedly a move to create public sentiment against our effort to have the 8-hour section of the Keating Bill suspended.

As a matter of fact both England and France have not only suspended or ceased to enforce their 8-hour laws, but are also permitting children of very young ages to work in industries.

The cotton manufacturers of the South do not ask any suspension of the section of the bill prohibiting the employment of those under fourteen years of age but it is reasonable in the face of the present labor shortage to ask that those between 14 and 16 years of age be allowed to work the number of hours permitted by state laws.

The article sent out by the McKelway crowd will undoubtedly create public sentiment against any suspension.

Greenville-Atlanta-Birmingham.

Encouraged by the success of the meeting of the superintendents of North Carolina Cotton Mills at Charlotte we took it upon ourselves to call similar meetings in the other cotton manufacturing states of the South and last week there were splendid meetings at Greenville, S. C., Atlanta, Ga. and Birmingham, Ala.

Before calling the meetings we arranged with Secretary of Labor Wilson to send from Washington, Miss Grace Abbott, Director of Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor, and her secretary, Miss Anna Rochester.

Miss Abbott and Miss Rochester, accompanied by Mr. David Clark and Mrs. David Clark, made the trip and there was also in attendance on all three meetings, A. B. Carter, secretary of the Southern Textile Association, Jas. A. Greer, Southern Representative, Textile World Journal and L. W. Thomason of the N. Y. & N. J. Lubricant Co.

Miss Grace Abbott as Director of the Children's Bureau of the Department of Commerce is in direct charge of the enforcement of the Keating Bill and one of the objects of the meetings was to let her become acquainted with the mill superintendents and mill conditions before her department made the rules for the enforcement of the law.

At Greenville almost a hundred cotton mill superintendents met us and when the meeting was called to order at 10 a. m., Tuesday, May 29th, at the Otteray Hotel we asked F. Gordon Cobb, chairman of the Board of Governors of the Southern Textile Association to preside.

A very interesting discussion led by such men as J. M. Davis and J. A. Lyons was held at this meeting and the only regret in connection with the meeting was that the session was too short.

At the close of the meeting Miss Abbott made a short address.

Tuesday afternoon Miss Abbott and Miss Rochester were first shown through the Dunbar Mills, where the processes of cotton manufacture were explained to them and then we visited the Monaghan Mills where L. P. Hollis explained the objects of welfare work and showed them the mill schools, recreation halls, kindergarten and mill gardens in all of which they seemed to be much interested.

Going by sleeper to Atlanta, the party reached the Piedmont Hotel early Wednesday morning and at 10 a. m., a meeting of approximately fifty Georgia superintendents was called to order.

Mr. Clark had requested L. L. Arnold, editor of Cotton to preside over the meeting, but Mr. Arnold's home had been recently damaged by the Atlanta fire and a meeting with insurance adjusters prevented his being present at the opening of the meeting. In his absence, Geo. Harris of West Point, Ga., was selected as chairman of the meeting.

At this meeting as in Greenville, an interesting discussion of the features of the Keating Child Labor Bill was held and at the close Miss Abbott made a few remarks.

Wednesday afternoon Miss Abbott and Miss Rochester were taken to the Exposition Cotton Mills and starting at the opening room carefully studied the processes of manufacturing cotton goods.

Taking the sleepers again the party reached the Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, early Thursday morning and at 10 a. m. were met by about thirty-two superintendents of Alabama cotton mills which was a remarkable attendance considering the number of cotton mills in Alabama.

Frank C. Heymer, president of the Southern Textile Association was asked to preside and it was due largely to the efficient manner in which he handled the meeting, that it was the most interesting of the series.

Mr. Heymer with the name of each superintendent before him, called

on each in turn to explain how he planned to put the Keating Bill into effect at his mill and as at the other two meetings Miss Abbott made a short address.

David Clark moved the appointment of three committees, one on spinners, one on doffers, and one on employment outside the mills of those who can not be legally employed in the mill and further moved that the committees report later.

Finding that it was the first meeting of Alabama cotton mill superintendents that had ever been held and that they did not know each other, Mr. Clark suggested that they take lunch together and a lunch for thirty-two was laid at a long table in a private dining room of the Tutwiler Hotel.

At the beginning of the lunch a "roll call" was held by causing every man to stand and announce the name and mill of the man sitting in his right. This made every man acquainted with his neighbor.

Another "roll call" was held at which each man arose in turn and announced his birth place. One was born in Germany, one in England, one in Canada, one in Maine, etc., and the roll call showed the remarkable fact that only two men running Alabama mills were born in Alabama.

Such a success was the meeting and dinner that after giving a vote of thanks to Mr. Clark, they voted to have another meeting and lunch in Birmingham on Saturday, July 14th.

The party left Birmingham at 4 p. m., Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clark going direct to Charlotte while Miss Abbott and Miss Rochester stopped at Newberry, S. C., for a days visit to the mills there before returning to Washington, D. C.

It was a strenuous trip requiring four nights on sleepers but the attendance and the interest shown in the discussions made it well worth while and we believe that we have given the United States Department of Labor through their representatives a better idea of Southern cotton mill conditions and of the men who operate the mills.

At each point a stenographer was employed to take down the entire discussion and they will be published as fully as possible.

Up to the present time only the report of the Birmingham stenographer has been received and we regret to find that it is very incomplete as she did not get more than one third of what was said at the meeting.

We have, however, notes of the most valuable ideas advanced and these will be summarized in a later edition.

Chairman Heymer appointed the following:

Committee on spinners, G. T. Marsh, G. H. Jones and A. A. Harris. Committee on Doffers, J. A. Shinn, M. T. Grimes, and B. F. Nuttall.

Committee on Employment Outside the Mill, E. A. Thompson, Z. H. Mangum, and B. J. Fisher.

PERSONAL NEWS

Charles R. Lockman and W. H. Conner of Kannapolis, N. C., paid us a visit last Monday.

W. A. Murphy has resigned as second hand in carding at the Buffalo Mills, Buffalo, S. C.

Arthur Thompson has accepted position as section man in card room at the Buffalo Mills, Buffalo, S. C.

D. C. Allen and R. D. Bennam are overhauling spinning at the Mobile (Ala.) Cotton Mills.

W. O. Hedsteath is now filling position of superintendent of the Laurel (Miss.) Cotton Mills.

W. M. Williams has accepted position as superintendent of the E. M. Holt Plaid Mills, Burlington, N. C.

J. H. Coggins has been promoted to night superintendent of the Dixie Mills, Mooresville, N. C.

W. D. Eudy has been promoted to second hand in No. 1 carding at the Ebird Mfg. Co., Albemarle, N. C.

J. B. Bishop has accepted the position of overseer of weaving at the Gambrill Mills, Bessemer City, N. C.

M. C. Jones has resigned as overseer of weaving at the Gambrill Mills, Bessemer City, N. C.

E. G. Brown of Columbus, Ga., has accepted a position with the Raybell Mfg. Co., Selma, Ala.

J. F. Rowe has resigned as slasher tender at the Huss Mfg. Co., Bessemer City, N. C.

W. L. Boyd has accepted the position of overseer of spinning at the Chadwick-Hoskins Mill No. 4, Charlotte, N. C.

J. W. McAlpine has resigned as overseer of spinning at the Chadwick-Hoskins Mill No. 1, Charlotte, N. C.

J. C. Wilson, formerly superintendent of the Hermitage Cotton Mills, Camden, S. C., is now filling a similar position with the Osage Mills, Bessemer City, N. C.

A. M. Royster has become slasher tender at the Huss Mfg. Co., Bessemer City, N. C.

B. M. Newsom has been promoted from second hand to overseer of spinning at the Raybell Mfg. Co., Selma, Ala.

W. T. Hall has resigned as overseer of weaving at the Minneola Mills, Gibsonville, N. C., and moved to Oxford, N. C.

L. C. Austin has succeeded J. M. Graham as superintendent and manager of the Savannah (Ga.) Cotton Mill.

William Trawick has been promoted from section hand on winders to section hand in spinning room at the Mobile (Ala.) Cotton Mills.

E. W. Hopper has resigned as overseer of spinning at Millen, Ga., to become assistant superintendent at the Maple Mills, Dillon, S. C.

J. J. Montague, Southern representative of the Chapman Mfg. Co., has returned from a trip to the head office at Boston, Mass.


H. P. McElroy of Huntsville, Ala., has accepted the position of overseer of carding at the Huntsville Cotton Mills of that place.

C. W. Parrott of Atlanta, Ga., has accepted the position of assistant superintendent of the Chadwick-Hoskins Mills No. 1 and No. 2, at Charlotte, N. C.

W. M. Thomas of the Olympia Mills, Columbia, S. C., has accepted the position of overseer of carding at Hartsville Cotton Mills, Hartsville, S. C.

J. L. Woodward has been promoted from section man at the Buffalo Mills, Buffalo, S. C., which position he has held for 7 years, to second hand in that mill.

B. M. Bowen, overseer of carding at the Erwin Mills No. 4, West Durham, N. C., and C. D. McDonald, superintendent of the Norcott Cotton Mills, Concord, N. C., paid us a visit last Saturday.



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B. M. Rose has resigned as superintendent of the E. M. Holt Mills, Burlington, N. C., to become overseer of weaving at the Minneola Mills, Gibsonville, N. C.

G. C. Cauble has resigned a second hand in No. 1 carding at the Ebird Mfg. Co., Albemarle, N. C., to accept a similar position at the Dan River Mills No. 2, Schoolfield, Va.

T. R. Morton, who recently resigned as superintendent of the Edenton (N. C.) Cotton Mills, has accepted position as night superintendent of the Bibb Mfg. Co., at Porterdale, Ga.

C. C. Cobb, superintendent of the Ella Mfg. Co., Shelby, N. C., who was operated on for appendicitis on May 15th, has returned to his home and will soon be able to return to his office.

A. W. Hardin has accepted position as superintendent of the Hicks Hosiery Mill, Talladega, Ala.

J. H. Jackson has resigned as superintendent of the Hicks Hosiery Mills, Talladega, Ala.

Thomas B. Hudgins has resigned his position with the Union-Buffalo Mills, Union, S. C., to accept a position in the office of the Victor-Monaghan Mills, as assistant treasurer, Greenville, S. C.

Two More Ambulances Given By Mill Men.

Cotton mill men in the Piedmont section within the last few weeks have donated four ambulances which will be sent for service in France. Last week Col. C. B. Armstrong, of Gastonia, who owns the controlling interest in a number of mills, announced that he would donate a ambulance to the Red Cross.

R. M. Miller, of Charlotte, former owner of the Elizabeth Mills in Charlotte, and one of the best known mill men in the South, has also given an ambulance to the cause.

Previous to this, ambulances have been given to the Red Cross by A. J. Draper of Charlotte, head of the Chadwick-Hoskins Mills, and J. M. Cannon of Concord, of the Cannon chain of mills.

J. M. Williams Goes With Clinton Cam Co.

J. M. Williams has resigned his position as traveling representative of the Southern Textile Bulletin to become salesman for the Clinton Cam Co., of Clinton, S. C.

Mr. Williams has been with the Southern Textile Bulletin for almost six years and during that time has given uniformly satisfactory service and we regard him very highly for his integrity and ability.

By years of experience as loom fixer and overseer of weaving Mr. Williams is well qualified for his new position and will undoubtedly make a great success in extending the sale of an appliance that has as much merit as the Clinton Cam Device.

While in our employ he has covered the textile field of the South many times and few men are as well and favorably known in the textile industry.

In order to cut off a flood of applications we wish to state that Mr. Williams' place will not be filled before October and no applications will be given consideration at this time.

Eatonton, Ga.—The Eatonton Cotton Mills are changing from sheeting to heavy ducks.



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MILL NEWS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Danville, Va.—The Riverside and Dan River Mills have placed an order with the Terrell Machinery Co., of Charlotte, N. C., for an ideal quill cleaner.

Coleridge, N. C.—It is reported that the Enterprise Manufacturing Co. will build a large addition to their plant and install a weave room.

At present the company operates an equipment of 4,000 spindles, their product being 8's carpet yarns.

Augusta, Ga.—The name of the Nixon Mfg. Co. has been changed to the Crescent Yarn Mills. The looms will be discarded and the mill will be operated on 12s to 20s yarns. A. K. Clark will remain as manager.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Exposition Cotton Mills have purchased an ideal quill cleaner from the Terrell Machine Co., of Charlotte, N. C.

Alexander City, Ala.—A building will be erected at this place for the Marble City Mills, which were wrecked by a tornado at Sylacauga, Ala. Undamaged machinery will be moved from Sylacauga and supplemented by new machinery to the original equipment of 5,120 spindles.

Newton, N. C.—The Yount Cotton Mill is nearing completion. All the brick work is finished and the greater portion of the wood work. Many new houses have been built for the operatives. The owner hopes to move the machinery here from his mill at Walterboro, S. C., at an early date.

Thomasville, N. C.—A Southern Finishing Mill Company has been organized at this place by G. Arthur Evans and W. K. Pennington. The site has been bought and the work on the building will be started within the next few days. This plant expects to have a daily output of 2,000 dozen hose.

Elizabeth City, N. C.—The Ideal Hosiery Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000 authorized and \$2,100 paid in. The incorporators are M. G. Morissette, W. B. Saunders and M. B. Simpson. While the company has made no announcement of their plans, it is understood that they will operate a hosiery knitting plant.

Cherryville, N. C.—During the storm of last Wednesday evening the store room of the Gaston Mfg. Co., which is occupied by E. W. Ford, was struck and all of the glass in the front windows broken out. The telephone was also torn to pieces and a part passed by one customer, just barely missing his head and out through the screen door. There was a number of people in the store but no one was hurt.

Shelby, N. C.—Shelby is to have a new enterprise in the form of a weave shed, ground for which was broken this week. John R. Dover, secretary and treasurer of the Ella Mill, C. C. Cobb, C. C. Blanton and E. B. Hamrick are the promoters. Cost of the industry will be \$15,000. The building will have a brick foundation with frame superstructure, housing 40 looms making cloth specialties. Southern Power Company current will be used in driving the wheels and the weekly output will be 10,000 pounds of cloth. C. C. Cobb will be general manager and Jack Dover superintendent. It is hoped to have everything ready to begin operations by August 1.

The Ella Cotton Mills is building the first welfare building in Cleveland county. The building is in process of erection and will be of brick foundation with frame superstructure. A large basement will contain shower baths while other sections will be devoted to reading room, gymnasium, auditorium and domestic science department, all for the use of the employees of the mill.

Gaffney, S. C.—Definite steps looking towards the establishment of a knitting mill in Gaffney were taken up recently when a number of business men met with J. H. Stringner, of Newark, N. J., and discussed the proposition with him.

Mr. Stringner submitted a proposition under which he would invest some capital in a knitting mill, he to be personally connected with its operation.

Mr. Stringner having been connected with some of the largest concerns in the East. Among the companies with which he has been associated are the Muldoon Underwear Co., Mohawk, N. Y., the Norfolk and New Brunswick Hosiery Co., New Brunswick, N. J., the Elmira Knitting Mills, Elmira, N. Y., and the Mentor Knitting Mills Co., Mentor, Ohio.

While the entire proposition as submitted was tentative, Mr. Stringner estimated that such a plant as he proposed would cost approximately \$64,000, and would employ about 150

people with a pay-roll of from \$1,200 to \$1,400 weekly. Men's underwear is the product he proposes to manufacture.

Marble City Mills Wrecked by Tornado.

Shortly after midnight on Sunday, May 28th, a tornado which struck Sylacauga, Ala., almost completely wrecked the Marble City Mills, which operated 5,120 spindles on hosiery yarns.

Almost the entire roof was blown completely off the mill and three of the brick walls were blown in upon the machinery, breaking and damaging a great deal of it especially in the spinning room.

The picker room machinery was not damaged very much but a 30,000-gallon water tank fell among the cards and did much damage.

The spinning frames and spoolers were badly broken and damaged by the falling walls.

T. C. Russell of Alexander City, Ala., who is president and chief owner of the Marble City Mills, announces that the mill will not be rebuilt at Sylacauga but a building will be erected at Alexander City, Ala., to which the good machinery will be moved and contracts have been placed with the Saco Lowell Shops for machinery to replace that damaged beyond repair.

\$100,000 Lake Being Built at Proximity.

The Revolution Mills, Greensboro, N. C., are about half through with the construction of a great water reservoir northeast of Greensboro, and just west of the extension of Church street about three-quarters of a mile from the city limits. This reservoir will be filled from Nix creek by hydraulic pressure and will be used for the bleaching purposes of Revolution Mills. In the future, the companies expect to build another great dam near the place, but the capacity of the lake that is now being constructed will be approximately 50,000,000 gallons

and it will be entirely adequate for the purpose for which it is designed.

The lake will cover about 12 to 15 acres of ground. At the present time a force of 40 or 50 mule teams and about 40 men is engaged in construction of the dam. A concrete core will be filled about with earth to form the basin. The work is a large undertaking, involving an expenditure of between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

The work of building it has been in progress for the past 60 days, and the statement was made that about that length of time will be required to complete the task.

Mills Meetings.

The annual meeting of the South Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association will be held at Battery Park Hotel, Asheville, N. C., on Thursday and Friday of this week while the annual meeting of the North Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association will be held at the Grove Park Inn of the same place on Friday and Saturday.

The Georgia Cotton Manufacturers' Association will also meet on Friday and Saturday of this week at St. Simons Island, Ga.

The annual meeting of the Southern Textile Association will be held at Wrightsville Beach, near Wilmington, N. C., on June 22 and 23, 1917, and promises to be very largely attended.

Wateree Mill Flag Raising.

One of the most enjoyable occasions ever seen at the Wateree Mills, Camden, S. C., was witnessed there last Saturday evening, when about 700 people of the village and vicinity assembled to see the flag raising and ball game.

At 3:30 a very interesting game of ball was played by the Wateree and Hermitage Mill teams, in which the latter won.

After the ball game the Rev. F. A. Lyles opened the exercises with a prayer; then gathered on the lawn

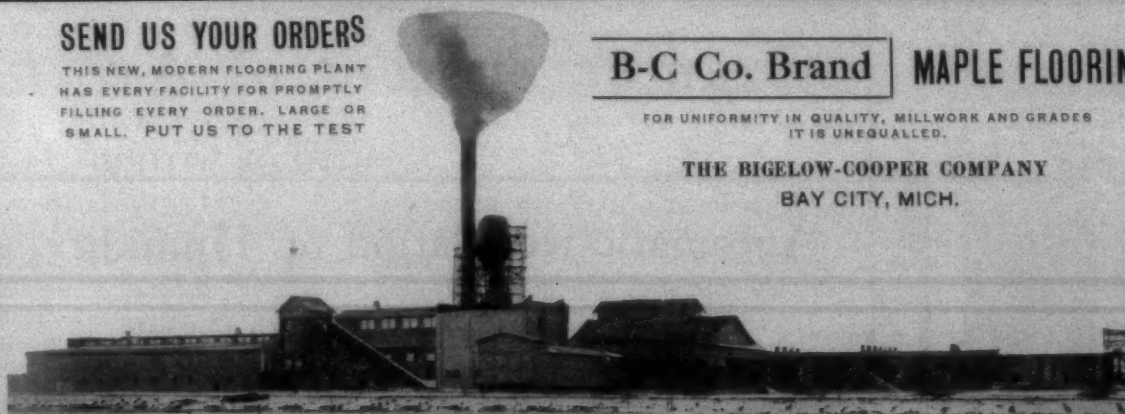
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in front of the mill, the school children along with the teachers and grown folks and sang "The Star Spangled Banner." During the patriotic song, the flag was raised by Major S. C. Zemp, M. D., after which the speaker of the occasion, Judge M. L. Smith, was introduced by H. K. Hallett, the superintendent of the mill.

Mr. Smith amid cheers and applause, made a very interesting and appropriate talk with reference to the flag and what it stands for.

At the close of the exercises a cordial invitation was extended by Mr. H. K. Hallett for all to remain for the picnic and fish fry which was held by the side of the pond in Shaw's Park.

Presentation of Student's Medal at the Textile Department, North Carolina State College.

At the commencement exercises of the North Carolina State College, Mr. W. A. Erwin, secretary and treasurer of the Erwin Cotton Mills Co., Durham, N. C., presented the Student's Medal. This medal is awarded annually by The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, to the textile student having the highest proficiency in his work.

This year the medal was awarded to Mr. M. A. Stough of Cornelius, N. C.

The above Textile Department is the only textile school in the South to be awarded this medal. Thirteen young men graduated from the textile school this year. Eighty regular textile students were registered, and, in addition to this, there were twenty-two short course students.

Time Clocks.

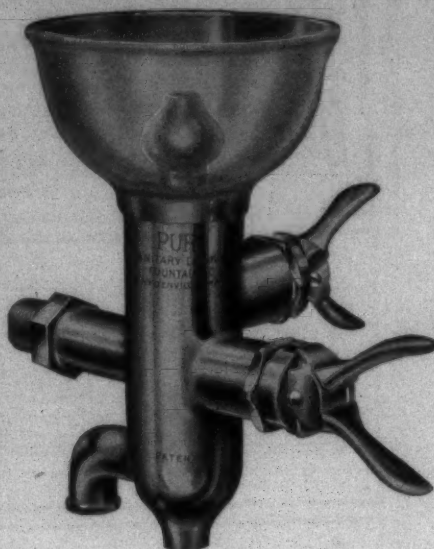
In this issue will be found an advertisement of the International Time Recording Co., which is of special interest at this time, because many mills are considering the use of time clocks in connection with operating under the Keating Bill.

The International Time Recording Co. expect to exhibit some of their time clocks at Wrightsville Beach, N. C., during the meeting of the Southern Textile Association and to demonstrate their uses.

Cotton Condition Lowest in Years.

Washington, June 1.—The condition of the cotton crop on May 25 was 69.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 77.5 last year, 80.0 in 1915, 74.3 in 1914 and 79.1, the May 25 ten year average, the department of agriculture announced today in its first report of the season. The acreage planted to cotton will not be announced until July. Cold weather in April and May hurt the cotton crop severely through the entire South.

Condition of the crop by States



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follows: Virginia, 75; North Carolina, 73; South Carolina, 70; Georgia, 69; Florida, 76; Alabama, 61; Mississippi, 66; Louisiana, 74; Texas, 63; Missouri, 73; Oklahoma, 77; California, 82.

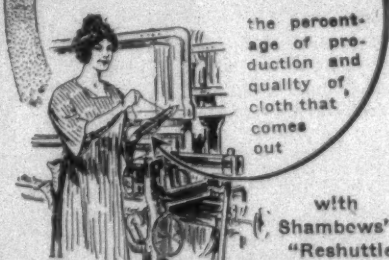
Revised estimates announced today of the area planted for and in cultivation at the end of June last year place the average at 36,052,000; area picked last year at 34,985,000 acres and the yield per acre at 156.6 pounds of lint.

Labor Solicitor Jailed.

In Recorder's Court Monday morning Jesse Johnston was sentenced to six months on the county roads for soliciting labor without the proper license. Johnston had been rather active around several of the various cotton mills within the city, it is claimed, in an effort to get laborers to go to Bridgewater, N. C., to work. He was promptly arrested by local officers and his soliciting stopped.—Gastonia Gazette.

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Cotton Goods Report

New York.—In the cotton goods markets last week, prices advanced rapidly on almost all kinds of goods. Print cloths advanced as much as half cent to one cent a yard, staple denims advanced half cent a yard and some very stiff advances were named on bleached goods. A variety of staple cottons, finished and unfinished, were advanced again during the week.

Retail prices are relatively much lower than replacement costs, though retail trade is below normal. From almost all quarters come reports that retailers are offering the most expensive articles at reduced prices. It is evident from the firm tone that prevails in all quarters of the market that there will be no softening of prices as long as the war lasts. It is more a question of getting the supplies than a question of prices. Merchandise is not plentiful and will not be for some time to come. Prices are up and as a result of the war orders that the country is placing, even higher prices are expected.

The market for print cloths was active last week, spots especially being in good demand. The brisk demand that lasted all week greatly reduced the available stocks for quick delivery and all sorts of prices ruled for goods that were available for prompt shipment. Only small quantities were offered by second hands, and prices showed little difference from current spot levels. The demand for future delivery was fairly active, but the greater part of the business was for spot or prompt shipment.

Many large orders for brown sheetings were placed during the week, with deliveries running up to the first of next year. The largest of these orders came from the bag trade, but the converting trade also took considerable quantities. While very little is being made public regarding Government orders, large orders for all kinds of goods are being placed and the Government orders are still far from being completed. Duck, in all grades, is on a high basis and many houses are quoting flat list prices.

There was some improvement in export trade during the week. The Scandinavian countries which have been out of the market for some time back have come back and there buyers were reported to have placed substantial orders last week. A general line of dry goods, including hosiery, underwear and cotton piece goods were ordered. Very little change was seen in the other quarters of the export market. Mexico continued to buy liberally and large shipments have been made to that country. Central and South America bought in about the same proportions that have characterized their trade for the last few weeks.

Cotton goods were quoted in New York last week as follows:
Brown drills, std....At value..

Sheetings, So. std....At value..
3-yard, 48x48sAt value..
4-yard, 56x60sAt value..
4-yards, 48x48sAt value..
5-yard, 48x48sAt value..
Denims, 9-oz.At value..
Denims, 2-20s21
Selkirk, 8-oz. duck....24
Oliver, extra, 8-oz....24
Tallassee, 8-oz.2
Hartford, 8-oz.22
Woodberry, said d'k..List
Mt. Vernon, wide d'k.. 5
Alexander, oz. duck..17
Ticking, 8-oz.At value..
Standard printsAt value..
Dress ginghamAt value..
Kid finished camb'c...At value..

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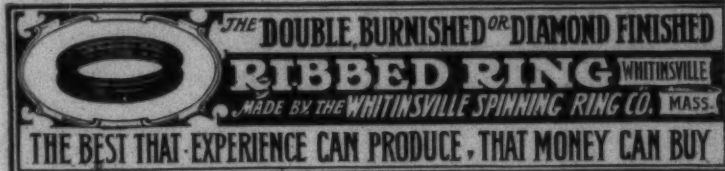
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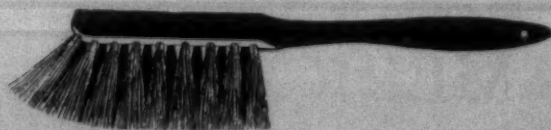
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The Yarn Market

Philadelphia, Pa.—There was some improvement in the demand for yarns last week and both weavers and knitters took fairly large quantities. Inquiries were more plentiful than they have been for some time. Sales of from 50,000 to 100,000 pounds were made to knitters and weavers to supply their immediate needs. Buyers are still very conservative and not inclined to buy in anticipation of their probable needs.

The demand for carded yarn on cones improved last week and some good sales were made. Prices on 16s and finer went higher toward the close of the week. Some spinners do not care to sell for delivery later than June and July and refused to quote on August delivery. Coarse numbers up to 16s sold on the basis of 34 1-2 to 36 1-2 cents for 10s. Sales of 26s were made for 43 to 44 1-2 cents. A sale of 30,000 pounds of 16s cones was made for 37 1-2 cents. A sale of 18s was reported at 4 1-2 cents.

There is a good demand for single combed yarn for Government work. Aside for that the demand for single combed was not very brisk but dealers are sure that the demand will increase as the season advances. The present demand for two-ply combed in the gray is small. Some dealers who have considerable quantities of two-ply on hand are tired of holding it and are selling it for quick deliveries at rather low prices. Spinners who are well sold up are confident that prices on two-ply combed yarns will be higher than even before by the first of September.

There was a good demand for carded weaving yarns last week and prices advanced again. Weavers are filling in their needs from day to day so that the spot demand is fairly active, while buying for future deliveries is slow. Khaki dyed yarns and other yarns for weaving for government needs are in brisk demand and are getting scarce for quick delivery.

Southern Single Skeins.

4s.....32	20s.....37 1/2
6s.....32	22s.....38 1/2
8s.....32 1/2	24s.....41
10s.....33	26s.....42
12s.....34	30s.....44
14s.....34 1/2	40s.....58
16s.....35	

Southern Two-Ply Skeins.

4s.....33	24s.....39 1/2
6s.....33	26s.....42
8s.....33	30s.....45 1/2
10s.....34	36s.....53
12s.....34 1/2	40s.....58
14s.....35	50s.....75
16s.....36	60s.....82
20s.....38	

Southern Single Chain Warps.

8s.....33	22s.....39 1/2
10s.....33 1/2	24s.....40
12s.....34	26s.....42
14s.....35	30s.....44
16s.....36	40s.....58
20s.....38	

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Southern Frame Spun Yarn on Cones.

6s.....36	22s.....39
8s.....36	24s.....40
12s.....37 1/2	26s.....42
14s.....38	30s.....45

16s.....39	40s.....57
18s.....41 1/2	22s colors 43
20s.....42	

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8s.....53 1/2	24s.....59
10s.....53 1/2	26s.....60
12s.....54 1/2	28s.....61
14s.....55 1/2	30s.....64
16s.....56 1/2	32s.....68
18s.....57	34s.....70
20s.....57 1/2	36s.....72
22s.....58	40s.....72

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Aragon Mills, S. C.	96	100
Arcadia Mills, S. C.	114	114
Arkwright Mills, S. C.	115	125
Augusta Factory, Ga.	30	35
Avondale Mills, Ala.	125	135
Belton Cotton Mills, S. C.	108	112
Brandon Mills, S. C.	75	80
Brogan Mills, S. C.	45	50
Calhoun Mills, S. C.	92 1/2	100
Cannon Mfg. Co., N. C.	175	175
Chiquola Mills, S. C.	130	130
Clifton Mfg. Co., S. C.	100	103
Clinton Cotton Mills, S. C.	117	117
Courtenay Mfg. Co., S. C.	100	103
Columbus Mfg. Co., Ga.	101	105
Chesnee Mills, S. C.	112	116
D. B. Converse Co., S. C.	80	85
Dallas Mfg. Co., Ala.	105	105
Darlington Mfg. Co., S. C.	65	75
Drayton Mills, S. C.	15	15
Dunbar Mills, S. C.	46	46
Eagle & Phenix Mills, Ga.	99	102
Easley Cotton Mills, S. C.	199	199
Enterprise Mfg. Co., Ga.	35	35
Exposition Cotton Mills, Ga.	173	173
Gaffney Mfg. Co., S. C.	72	75
Glenwood Mills, S. C.	95	101
Glenn-Lowry Mfg. Co., S. C.	75	75
Glenn-Lowry Mfg. Co., pfd.	95	100
Gluck Mills, S. C.	59	59
Graniteville Mfg. Co., S. C.	100	100
Greenwood C. Mills, S. C.	145	145
Grendel Mills, S. C.	130	130
Hamrick Mills, S. C.	110	115
Inman Mills, S. C.	98	101
Inman Mills, S. C., pfd.	130	125
Jackson Mills, S. C.	97	100
Judson Mills, S. C.	89	93
King, John P. Mfg. Co., Ga.	150	150
Lancaster C. Mills, S. C., pfd.	100	100
Langley Mfg. Co., S. C.	110	110
Laurens Cotton Mills, S. C.	130	130
Limestone Cot. Mills, S. C.	60	75
Lockhart Mills, S. C.	20	20
Loray Mills, N. C., com.	102	102
Loray Mills, 1st pfd.	100	100
Marlboro Mills, S. C.	127	131
Marion Mfg. Co., N. C.	100	110
Mills Mfg. Co., S. C.	95	95
Molokhon Mfg. Co., S. C.	150	150
Monarch Cotton Mills, S. C.	140	145
Newberry Cotton Mills, S. C.	220	220
Ninety-Six Mills, S. C.	110	110
Norris Cotton Mills, S. C.	85	85
Oconee Mills, common	98	101
Orr Cotton Mills, S. C.	100	103
Pacolet Mfg. Co., S. C.	100	100
Polzer Mfg. Co., S. C., pfd.	100	105
Pickens Cotton Mills, S. C.	117	125
Piedmont Mfg. Co., S. C.	160	160
Poe, F. W. Mfg. Co., S. C.	120	123
Riverside Mills, S. C., pfd.	98	98
Roanoke Mills, N. C.	120	125
Saxon Mills, S. C.	50	50
Sibley Mfg. Co., S. C.	135	140
Spartan Mills, S. C.	270	300
Toxaway Mills, S. C.	76	80
Tucapau Mills, S. C.	76	9
Union-Butte Mills, 1st pfd.	95	100
Victor Monaghan M. Co., pfd.	39	95
Victor-Monaghan Co., pfd.	44	47
Ware Shoals Mfg. Co., S. C.	90	100
Warren Mfg. Co., S. C.	62	62
Warren Mfg. Co., S. C., pfd.	10	10
Watts Mills, S. C.	110	125
Whitney Mfg. Co., S. C.	110	106
Williamston Mills, S. C.	116	125
Wiscasset Cot. Mills, N. C.	175	250
Woodruff Cotton Mills, S. C.	175	175
Hartsville C. Mills, S. C.	184	184
Henrietta Mills, N. C.	184	184

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PERSONAL ITEMS

W. F. Blackmer has succeeded F. J. Murdock as secretary of the Marsh Cotton Mills, Salisbury, N. C.

T. H. Fairchild, superintendent of the Jonesboro (Tenn.) Yarn Mills was in Charlotte on business this week.

J. A. Moore, manager of the Patterson Mills Company, Roanoke Rapids, N. C., has been elected president of that company.

J. Lee Cline is now superintendent of J. A. Cline & Sons, formerly Waldensian Hosiery Mills No. 2, at Hildebran, N. C.

M. G. Strickland has succeeded C. B. Maxfield as superintendent of the Bowling-Emory Knitting Company, Durham, N. C.

R. R. Bellamy, treasurer of the Delgado Mills, Wilmington, N. C., has succeeded E. C. Holt as president of that mill.

F. L. Robbins has resigned as superintendent of the Sayona Mfg. Co. of Charlotte, N. C., to become manager of the Matoaca Mills, near Petersburg, Va.

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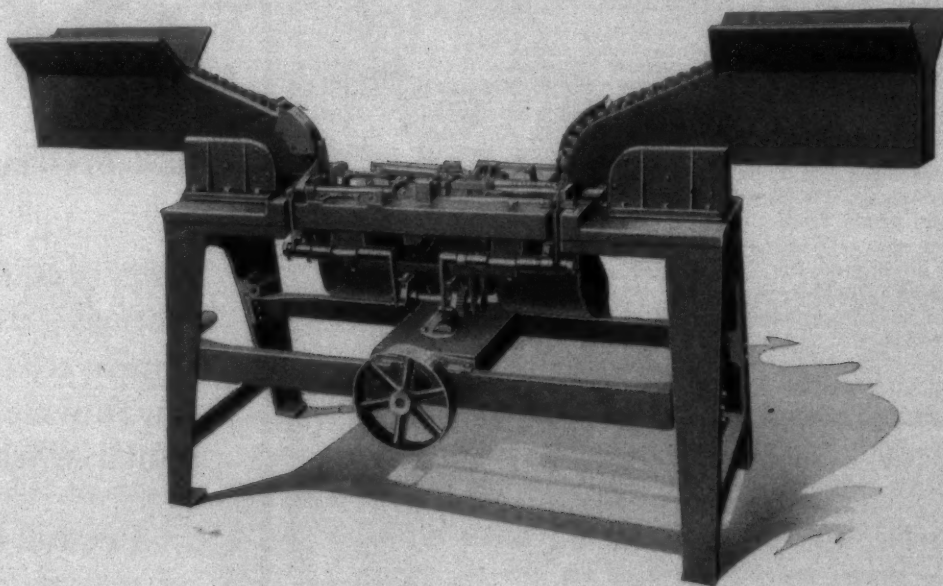
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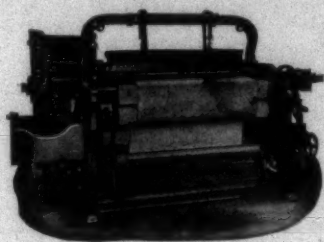
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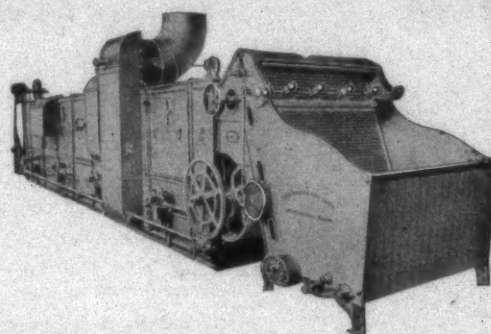
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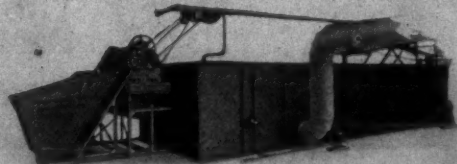


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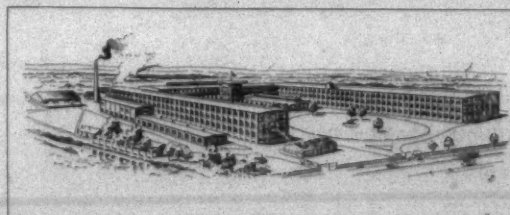
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